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# STUDENT TRANSPORTATION BOARD

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IMU CHARTER ROOM

7PM

FEBRUARY 18, 2013

Members Present – Ray Vanlanot, Elliot Cheek, Sarah Williams, Hannah Catt, Hannah Hunt as proxy for Jacob Bower-Bir, Anjulia Urasky, Zach Haller, Patrick Courtney, Kala Majors as proxy for Sarah Wells, James Grandorf, Perry Maull,

Staff Present – Brian Noojin, Jordan Allen

Guests Present—Lew May, General Manager Bloomington Transit

## MINUTES

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1. Call to Order -Chair Vanlanot called the meeting to order at 7PM
2. Introductions of Members, Staff, and Guests
3. Approval of Agenda -The agenda was approved with no changes by unanimous consent.
4. Approval Meeting Minutes - The minutes from January 21, 2013 were approved by unanimous consent.
5. Bloomington Transit Update by Lew May, General Manager - Lew May gave a brief update about Bloomington Transit. Notably, all BT busses will soon be equipped with the Double Map bus tracking system used by CBS. BT also purchased two new hybrid busses, broke ground on a new downtown passenger transfer facility, and had record breaking ridership of over 3.4 million.
6. January 2013 Ridership Report - Perry Maull presented the report. There has be a notable decline in ridership by month over past years due to various factors including an extended Thanksgiving Break. The decline for January was not as severe due to lower temperatures. Ridership information by average day will be compiled and presented at a future meeting.
7. Route by Route Ridership Report - Perry Maull presented the report. James Grandorf suggested that D Route drivers should report full loads to help with scheduling. Brian Noojin noted that full load information can be extrapolated from current trip-by-trip ridership data.
8. Bus Rehabilitation/Replacement Update - Perry Maull gave an update on the Bus Rehabilitation proposal. CBS has been working to determine the break even point for the proposal. If the proposal bids are under \$170, busses will likely be rehabilitated, otherwise new busses will be purchased. The current fleet would still have rebuilt engines and transmissions installed pending the purchase of new busses.

9. FY 2014 Service Priorities – Perry Maull presented current and past year documents outlining service priorities and explained the framework by which such priorities have been determined in the past. Chair Vanlanot suggested that a student survey about BT service would be useful. Patrick Courtney concurred that it would be a good idea to establish a formal document to hold BT accountable to the student population. Kala Majors asked if it would be possible to announce game-day detours via the DoubleMap system. Perry Maull said that CBS should do this in the future.
10. IUSA Campus Outreach- Transportation Fall 2012 – Hannah Catt presented the report and suggested that the statistics regarding student satisfaction with CBS were not reliable due to small sample size. Aspects of the report contradict known ridership statistics.
11. Comments by Members and Guests—No additional comments were made.
12. Next Meeting: Monday March 18, 2013 at 7 PM- Hoosier Room, IMU
13. Chair Vanlanot adjourned the meeting at 7:50PM.